

# SENATE BILL No. 14

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 3-11-10-26.3.

**Synopsis:** Accessibility of satellite voting locations. Requires a satellite office for voting to meet the same accessibility requirements that apply to a polling place for a precinct.

**Effective:** July 1, 2009.

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January 7, 2009, read first time and referred to Committee on Elections.

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Introduced

First Regular Session 116th General Assembly (2009)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2008 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning elections.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 3-11-10-26.3 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 26.3. (a) A county  
3 election board may adopt a resolution to authorize the circuit court  
4 clerk to establish satellite offices in the county where voters may cast  
5 absentee ballots before an absentee voter board.  
6 (b) To be adopted under this section, a resolution must be adopted  
7 by the unanimous vote of the board's entire membership.  
8 (c) A resolution adopted under this section must do the following:  
9 (1) State the locations of the satellite offices.  
10 (2) State the hours at which absentee voting may occur at the  
11 satellite offices.  
12 (d) The resolution may contain other provisions the board considers  
13 useful.  
14 (e) If a resolution is adopted under this section, the procedure for  
15 casting an absentee ballot at a satellite office must, except as provided  
16 in this section, be substantially the same as the procedure for casting an  
17 absentee ballot in the office of the circuit court clerk.

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- 1       (f) A satellite office established by a circuit court clerk under  
2       this section must comply with the polling place accessibility  
3       requirements of IC 3-11-8.

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